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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 36 By Goins

A RESOLUTION to congratulate the Reverend and Mrs. Ted Kitts on the celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary.

WHEREAS, this General Assembly takes great pleasure in paying tribute to those successful marriages that have stood the test of time to serve as exemplars for present and future generations; and

WHEREAS, on May 25, 1951, Ted and Welmia Kitts were joined in holy matrimony, and since that fateful day this outstanding couple has faced the world as one, basking in the glow of their love for each other during both life's joys and sorrows; and

WHEREAS, the Reverend and Mrs. Ted Kitts have been highly respected citizens of Union County for many years; they are the very epitome of good neighbors, as they always endeavor to treat others as they would like to be treated; and

WHEREAS, this fine couple's praiseworthy marriage has produced three children, each of whom has excelled in her particular field of endeavor; the Kitts's children are Mary, Sandra, and Sharon; and

WHEREAS, the Kittses are also the proud grandparents of five grandsons and two great-grandsons; and

WHEREAS, for half a century, this blessed union has grown and prospered as an expression of time-honored family values and selfless love; and

WHEREAS, marriages such as the Kittses are truly the rock-solid foundation upon which our society is built and a beacon of sanity and continuity in these turbulent times; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby honor and congratulate the Reverend and Mrs. Ted Kitts on the celebration of their fiftieth wedding anniversary and extend to them our best wishes for much continued happiness in the years to come.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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